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SUBJECT: LETELIER/MOFFITT CASE: DEVELOPMENTS APRIL 1-3

REF: SANTIAGO 2391

1. FIRST CRIMINAL COURT JUDGE JUANA GONZALEZ APRIL 1 PUT THE LETTERS
ROGATORY QUESTIONS TO MICHAEL TOWNLEY AND ARMANDO FERNANDEZ. THE
INTERROGATION, HELD IN THE CENTER OF NATIONAL INFORMATION (CNI),
LASTED FOUR HOURS AND WAS HELD AMIDST STRICT SECURITY MEASURES.
THE PRESS REPORTED APRIL 2 THAT THE ANSWERS, CONTAINED IN A SEALED
EVELOPE, WILL BE GIVEN TO SUPREME COURT PRESIDENT JOSE MARIA
EYZAGUIRRE TODAY AND LATER TRANSMITTED TO THE FOREIGN MINISTRY AND
THEN TO THE EMBASSY.

2. "LA TERCERA" APRIL 2 REPORTED THAT A U.S. LAWYER IDENTIFIED AS
JAMES WECK HAD ARRIVED THE DAY BEFORE TO LEND LEGAL ASSISTANCE TO
TOWNLEY. TOWNLEY'S WIFE, MARIANA CALLEJAS, IS QUOTED AS SAYING THAT
HIS ARRIVAL REFLECTED A NEED (BY TOWNLEY) FOR "AN INTERNATIONAL LAW
EXPERT WHO IS ALSO FAMILIAR WITH U.S. LEGAL PROCEDURE".

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3. NO EDITORIAL OPINION HAS APPEARED THUS FAR ON THE LETTERS
ROGATORY COMPLETION.
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